

## Claims

1. A digital subscriber line self-installation kit comprising:

- 5 a digital subscriber line modem;  
at least one digital subscriber line filter;  
a computer-readable medium whose contents comprise  
computer-readable connection software code; and  
an instruction manual which describes a unified  
10 installation process for the digital subscriber line  
modem, the at least one digital subscriber line filter,  
and the computer-readable connection software code,  
wherein the unified installation process requires at  
most one operating system selection step by a user.

- 15 2. The kit of claim 1 wherein the unified  
installation process described within the instruction  
manual requires no operating system selection step by  
the user.

- 20 3. The kit of claim 1 further comprising a  
container which contains the digital subscriber line  
modem, the at least one digital subscriber line filter  
and the computer-readable medium.

- 25 4. The kit of claim 3 wherein the container  
contains the instruction manual.

5. The kit of claim 1 wherein the instruction  
30 manual provides a point of contact telephone number  
associated with the digital subscriber line modem.

6. The kit of claim 1 wherein the instruction manual provides a point of contact telephone number associated with the at least one digital subscriber  
5 line filter.

7. The kit of claim 1 wherein the instruction manual provides a point of contact telephone number associated with the computer-readable connection  
10 software code.

8. A digital subscriber line self-installation kit comprising:  
a network card;  
15 a digital subscriber line modem;  
at least one digital subscriber line filter;  
a computer-readable medium whose contents comprise computer-readable connection software code; and  
an instruction manual which describes a unified  
20 installation process for the network card, the digital subscriber line modem, the at least one digital subscriber line filter, and the computer-readable connection software code, wherein the unified installation process requires at most one operating  
25 system selection step by a user.

9. The kit of claim 8 wherein the unified installation process described within the instruction manual requires no operating system selection step by  
30 the user.

10. The kit of claim 8 further comprising a container which contains the network card, the digital subscriber line modem, the at least one digital subscriber line filter and the computer-readable medium.

11. The kit of claim 10 wherein the container contains the instruction manual.

12. The kit of claim 8 wherein the instruction manual provides a point of contact telephone number associated with the network card.

13. The kit of claim 8 wherein the instruction manual provides a point of contact telephone number associated with the digital subscriber line modem.

14. The kit of claim 8 wherein the instruction manual provides a point of contact telephone number associated with the at least one digital subscriber line filter.

15. The kit of claim 8 wherein the instruction manual provides a point of contact telephone number associated with the computer-readable connection software code.

16. A digital subscriber line self-installation kit comprising:

- a network card;
- a digital subscriber line modem;

at least one digital subscriber line filter;  
at least one computer-readable medium whose  
contents comprise computer-readable connection software  
code and computer-readable internet service provider  
5 specific software code; and

an instruction manual which describes a unified  
installation process for the network card, the digital  
subscriber line modem, the at least one digital  
subscriber line filter, the computer-readable  
10 connection software code and the computer-readable  
internet service provider specific software code,  
wherein the unified installation process requires at  
most one operating system selection step by a user.

15 17. The kit of claim 16 wherein the unified  
installation process described within the instruction  
manual requires no operating system selection step by  
the user.

20 18. The kit of claim 17 further comprising a  
container which contains the network card, the digital  
subscriber line modem, the at least one digital  
subscriber line filter and the at least one computer-  
readable medium.

25 19. The kit of claim 18 wherein the container  
contains the instruction manual.

30 20. The kit of claim 8 wherein the instruction  
manual provides a point of contact telephone number  
associated with the computer-readable internet service

provider specific software code.

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